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In re Patent Application of:)
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Serial No.: 09/546,573) Art Unit: 1642
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Filed: April 10, 2000) Examiner: S. L. Rawlings, Ph.D.
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For: TISSUE INHIBITOR OF MATRIX METALLOPROTEINASES
TYPE-1 (TIMP-1) AS A CANCER MARKER

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

I. **Introductory Comments**

Responsive to the Office Action of July 2, 2002, please amend the application as set forth below, and consider the following remarks. On December 31, 2002, Applicants file a Notice of Appeal, and they are submitting with this Amendment a petition for five months extension of time with the requisite fee.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. Fees have been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra	Rate		Amount
				Large Entity	Small Entity	
Number of Claims in Excess of 20	65	47	18	\$ 18.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 162.00
Independent Claims in Excess of 3	4	9	0	\$ 84.00	\$ 42.00	\$ 0.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 280.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 0.00
Extension Fee: a) One Month b) Two Months c) Three Months d) Four Months e) Five Months				\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00	\$ 0.00
				\$ 410.00	\$ 205.00	\$ 0.00
				\$ 930.00	\$ 465.00	\$ 0.00
				\$1450.00	\$ 725.00	\$ 0.00
				\$1970.00	\$ 985.00	\$ 985.00
Other: PTO/SB/08A				-0-	180.00	\$180.00
TOTAL FEE DUE						\$1,327.00

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- Small Entity Status Claim:
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Respectfully submitted,

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